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AMENDMENTS WITH MARKINGS SHOWING CHANGES MADE  
Additions are shown underlined and deletions are shown in ~~strikeout~~.

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 13 has been amended as follows:

13. (Amended) An outboard motor comprising an engine, said engine having a cylinder block and at least one cylinder head, at least ~~one cylinder~~ two cylinders defined within said cylinder block and said cylinder block being mounted generally above an exhaust guide, a cylinder head exhaust passage ~~extending from said cylinder~~ communicating with both of said cylinders through said cylinder head, said exhaust guide including an exhaust guide passage, said cylinder block including a cylinder block exhaust passage, and said exhaust guide passage and said cylinder head exhaust passage being in communication with each other through said cylinder block exhaust passage.

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